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For good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNORS

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hereby sells, assigns and transfers to ASSIGNEE, The Regents of the University of California, a California corporation, having its statewide administrative offices located at 1111 Franklin Street, 12th Floor, Oakland, CA 94607-5200, including their successors, assigns and legal representatives of the ASSIGNEES, all of his right, title and interest for the United States and its territorial possessions and in all foreign countries in and to, any and all improvements which are disclosed in the invention entitled:

METHOD FOR THE PREVENTION OF DENTAL CARIES; and

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and which is found in

 X U.S. application serial no. 09/378,577, filed on August 20, 1999.

and any legal equivalent thereof in a foreign country, including the right to claim priority and, in and to, all Letters Patent to be obtained for said invention by the above application or any continuation, division, continuation-in part, extension, conversion to provisional application, or substitute thereof, and any reissue, reexamination or extension of said Letters Patent and all rights under all International Conventions for the Protection of Industrial Property;

ASSIGNORS hereby covenant that no assignment, sale, agreement or encumbrance has been or will be made or entered into which would conflict with this assignment;

ASSIGNORS further covenant that ASSIGNEES will, upon their request, be provided promptly with all pertinent facts and documents relating to said invention and said Letters Patent and legal equivalent as may be known and accessible to ASSIGNORS and will testify as to the same in any interference, litigation, or proceeding relating thereto and will promptly execute and deliver to ASSIGNEES or their legal representatives any and all papers, instruments or affidavits required to apply for, obtain, maintain, issue or enforce said application, said invention and said Letters Patent and said equivalents thereof which may be necessary or desirable to carry out the purposes thereof. An attorney of record is authorized and requested by the execution of this assignment to insert into this assignment the filing date and serial number of said application when officially known.

AND the ASSIGNOR(S) request(s) the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue said Letters Patent of the United States and any reissue or extension thereof to the ASSIGNEES, The Regents of the University of California and Washington Dental Service, jointly.

executed this

22 day of October, 1999

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Signature of Inventor(s)



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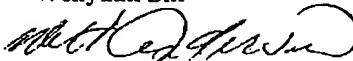
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